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For: PROBING ALGORITHM FOR FOUNDATION  
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**At Column 2, line 59 please delete "describe" and insert -- described --**  
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